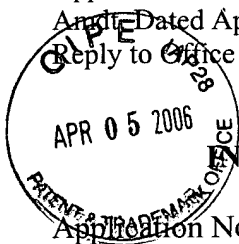


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Dear Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated November 10, 2005, applicant submits the following:

Amendments to the Specification begin on page 2 of this paper.

Amendments to the Claims begin on page 4 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 6 of this paper.

AMENDMENT

Amendments to the Specification:

Please amend the specification as follows:

Please replace Tables 1 and 2, appearing on page 10 of the specification with the following amended Tables 1 and 2:

Table 1 – Example Coating 1

<i>Resin</i>	<i>Supplier</i>	<i>Concentration (%)</i>
Santoprene 8691-70 <u>SANTOPRENE® 8691-70 brand</u> <u>bondable thermoplastic vulcanizate</u> <u>(TPV)</u>	AES	45
Advantech 7701-A <u>ADVANTECH®</u> <u>7701 brand elastomer</u>	Dupont Canada	45
Exact 0210 <u>EXACT® 0210 brand</u> <u>plastomers</u>	Exxon	7
UV 100	Ampacet	3

Table 2 – Example Coating 2

<i>Resin</i>	<i>Supplier</i>	<i>Concentration (%)</i>
Santoprene 8691-70 <u>SANTOPRENE® 8691-70 brand</u> <u>bondable thermoplastic vulcanizate</u> <u>(TPV)</u>	AES	37
Advantech 7701-A <u>ADVANTECH®</u> <u>7701 brand elastomer</u>	Dupont Canada	37
Exact 0210 <u>EXACT® 0210 brand</u> <u>plastomers</u>	Exxon	10
UV 100	Ampacet	7
UV Stabilizer		3
Slip Additive		3
Anti-block Additive		3

Please replace Tables 3 and 4, appearing on page 11 of the specification with the following amended Tables 3 and 4:

Table 3 – Compare Coating 1

<i>Resin</i>	<i>Supplier</i>	<i>Concentration (%)</i>
Santoprene 8691-70 <u>SANTOPRENE® 8691-70 brand</u> <u>bondable thermoplastic vulcanizate</u> <u>(TPV)</u>	AES	90
Exact 0210 <u>EXACT® 0210 brand</u> <u>plastomers</u>	Exxon	7
UV 100	Ampacet	3

Table 4 – Compare Coating 2

<i>Resin</i>	<i>Supplier</i>	<i>Concentration (%)</i>
Advantech 7701-A	Dupont Canada	90
Exact 0210 <u>EXACT® 0210 brand</u> <u>plastomers</u>	Exxon	7
UV 100	Ampacet	3